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POULTRY

Slaughtered under Federal Inspection and Poultry 1964

Used in Canning and Other Processed Foods

August 1964

CURRENT SERIAL RECORDS October 1, 1964

Inspected Poultry - A total of 833,409,000 pounds live weight (chickens, turkeys and ducks combined) were inspected for slaughter during August 1964 under the Poultry Inspection Act carried on by the USDA. This was 10 percent more than the previous month and 1 percent more than in August 1963.

The number of head and pounds (live weight) inspected by classes in August 1964 were: young chickens, 175,517,000 head, 594,875,000 pounds; mature chickens, 10,059,000 head, 47,857,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys, 1,418,000 head, 11,570,000 pounds; young turkeys, 9,764,000 head, 169,059,000 pounds; old turkeys, 129,000 head, 1,984,000 pounds; and ducks, 1,280,000 head, 8,064,000 pounds.

Certified Poultry - The quantity of poultry certified as wholesome in August 1964 totaled 616,744,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight of which 417,173,000 pounds were iced and 199,571,000 pounds were frozen. Total pounds certified by class of poultry were as follows: young chickens, 432,792,000 pounds; mature chickens, 32,152,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys, 8,864,000 pounds; young turkeys, 135,116,000 pounds; old turkeys, 1,573,000 pounds; ducks, 5,730,000 pounds; and other poultry, 517,000 pounds.

Canned and Processed Poultry - Poultry inspected and used for canning and other processed food in August 1964 totaled 50,090,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, compared with 50,009,000 pounds in August 1963. The quantity used in August 1964 consisted of 10,105,000 pounds of young chickens, 20,088,000 pounds of mature chickens, 17,765,000 pounds of turkeys, and 2,132,000 pounds of other poultry.

Cut-Up Poultry - Poultry cut-up and packaged in Federally inspected plants during August 1964 totaled 82,416,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight compared with 73,084,000 pounds in August 1963. The breakdown by classes for August 1964 consisted of 76,461,000 pounds of young chickens, 602,000 pounds of mature chickens, 5,314,000 pounds of turkeys and 39,000 pounds of other poultry.

Ante-mortem condemnations amounted to 2,186,000 pounds live weight for all classes. Condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 0.30 percent; mature chickens, 0.38 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 0.15 percent; young turkeys, 0.12 percent; old turkeys, 0.07 percent; and ducks, 0.02 percent.

Post-mortem condemnations in August 1964 amounted to 14,654,000 pounds (NYD) weight. Condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 2.00 percent; mature chickens, 3.23 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 1.64 percent; young turkeys, 1.48 percent; old turkeys, 1.91 percent; and ducks, 1.53 percent. In August 1963, the condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 2.01 percent; mature chickens, 2.89 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 1.85 percent; young turkeys, 1.24 percent; old turkeys, 1.80 percent; and ducks, 1.79 percent.

Poultry: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, August 1964 with comparisons

Class	Number inspected			Pounds inspected (live weight)						Average live weight					
	July			August			July			August			July		
	1963	1964	Thou.	1963	1964	Thou.	1963	1964	Thou.	1963	1964	Thou.	1963	1964	Thou.
Young chickens	177,577	176,244	175,517	1,251,746	1,308,221	598,739	593,589	594,875	4,297,417	4,511,124	3.37	3.39	3.43	3.45	3.45
Mature chickens	8,865	11,197	10,059	70,594	76,518	42,073	52,016	47,857	340,650	371,497	4.75	4.76	4.83	4.86	4.86
Total chickens	186,442	187,441	185,576	1,322,340	1,384,739	640,812	645,605	642,732	4,638,067	4,882,621	3.44	3.46	3.51	3.53	3.53
Fryer-roasters	1,389	1,384	1,418	8,082	9,180	11,802	11,677	11,570	69,901	78,585	8.50	8.44	8.65	8.56	8.56
Young turkeys	5,506	9,112	9,764	18,870	20,997	89,493	157,683	159,059	324,901	368,057	16.25	17.30	17.22	17.53	17.53
Old turkeys	400	185	129	2,923	2,448	7,182	3,029	1,984	56,837	47,712	17.96	16.37	19.44	19.49	19.49
Total turkeys	7,295	10,681	11,311	29,875	32,625	108,477	172,389	182,613	451,639	494,354	14.87	16.14	15.12	15.15	15.15
Ducks	1,420	1,329	1,280	7,081	7,204	8,809	8,318	8,064	45,006	45,545	6.20	6.26	6.36	6.32	6.32
Other poultry	---	---	---	---	---	951	493	781	2,145	3,082	---	---	---	---	---
Total poultry	---	---	---	---	---	759,049	826,805	834,190	5,136,857	5,425,602	---	---	---	---	---

Pounds certified (ready-to-cook weights)

Class	July 1964			August 1963			August 1964			January-August 1963			January-August 1964		
	Iced			Frozen			Iced			Frozen			Iced		
	1,000	pounds	Total	1,000	pounds	Total	1,000	pounds	Total	1,000	pounds	Total	1,000	pounds	Total
Young chickens	387,646	48,304	435,950	384,022	47,157	431,179	384,447	48,345	432,792	2,778,703	331,486	3,110,189	2,888,489	372,918	3,261,407
Mature chickens	16,861	11,397	28,258	22,885	12,196	35,081	19,597	12,555	32,152	155,574	76,119	231,693	157,687	93,115	250,802
Total chickens	404,507	59,701	464,208	406,907	59,353	466,260	404,044	60,900	464,944	2,934,277	407,605	3,341,882	3,046,176	466,033	3,512,209
Fryer-roasters	1,132	7,949	9,081	1,314	7,632	8,946	1,882	6,982	8,864	10,847	43,131	53,978	11,040	49,648	60,688
Young turkeys	8,810	62,918	71,728	11,106	115,139	126,245	11,127	123,989	135,116	30,971	228,704	259,675	39,304	294,902	294,206
Old turkeys	753	4,991	5,744	164	2,333	2,497	6	1,567	1,573	4,927	40,175	45,102	4,217	33,859	38,076
Total turkeys	10,695	75,858	86,553	12,584	125,104	137,688	13,015	132,538	145,553	46,745	312,010	358,755	54,561	338,409	392,970
Ducks	86	6,204	6,290	75	5,864	5,939	112	5,618	5,730	976	30,932	31,908	1,060	31,384	32,444
Other poultry	5	617	622	2	306	308	2	515	517	16	1,253	1,269	61	1,862	1,923
Total poultry	415,293	142,380	557,673	419,568	190,627	610,195	417,173	199,571	616,744	2,982,014	751,800	3,733,814	3,101,858	837,688	3,939,546

Poultry: Condemnations of poultry slaughtered under Federal Inspection, August 1964 with comparisons

Class	Ante-mortem condemnations				Post-mortem condemnations			
	Pounds (live weight)		Percent 1/		Pounds (live weight)		Percent 2/	
	August	1963	August	1963	August	1963	August	1963
Young chickens	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
Mature chickens	1,866	1,781	0.33	0.30	10,834	10,711	2.01	2.00
Total chickens	2,170	1,963	0.35	0.31	12,178	12,060	2.89	2.83
Fryer-roasters	13	17	0.11	0.15	137	194	1.85	1.64
Young turkeys	173	201	0.11	0.12	388	497	1.24	1.48
Old turkeys	1	2	0.05	0.07	62	49	1.80	1.91
Total turkeys	187	220	0.11	0.12	587	690	1.29	1.49
Ducks	2	2	0.02	0.02	11	134	1.79	1.53
Other poultry	1	1	0.27	0.11	3	2	0.45	0.85
Total	2,360	2,186	0.29	0.26	12,779	14,199	1.91	1.96

1/ Pounds condemned as percent of pounds (live weight) inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.

2/ Pounds condemned as percent of equivalent N. Y. dressed weight of quantity inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.

Poultry: Inspected for canning and other processed foods, August 1964 with comparisons 1/

Class	Pounds used ready-to-cook weight				Pounds condemned ready-to-cook weight			
	July	August	January-August	July	August	January-August	July	August
	1964	1963	1964	1964	1963	1964	1964	1963
Young chickens	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
Further processed	10,840	9,505	66,895	84,164	25	223	84	---
Cut up	74,061	67,839	486,561	551,044	---	---	---	---
Mature chickens	18,082	19,835	166,385	159,638	18	96	128	---
Further processed	561	667	5,878	6,258	---	---	---	---
Turkeys	17,132	18,485	109,316	125,796	11	46	38	---
Further processed	4,662	4,516	25,554	29,614	---	---	---	---
Other poultry 2/	2,743	2,184	25,462	26,690	7	83	72	---
Further processed	60	62	740	441	---	---	---	---
Total	48,797	50,009	368,058	396,288	63	448	322	---
Further processed	79,344	73,084	82,416	518,733	---	---	---	---

1/ All poultry inspected for canning and further processing and cut up and packaged in plants under Federal inspection.

2/ Poultry parts and fat used in further processing that cannot be identified by class are included in "other poultry".

Young chickens: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, August 1963 and 1964

Region and State	Number inspected	Pounds inspected	Average live weight inspected 1/	Total pounds		Post-mortem condemnations	
				1963	1964	1963	1964
				(Ready-to-cook wt.)		Pounds (NYD)	Percent 2/
N. Atl.	13,558	51,738	3.82	37,511	37,734	860	1.90
E. N. Cent.	3,639	12,669	3.48	9,235	9,291	186	1.10
W. N. Cent.	4,793	15,506	3.24	11,132	9,739	252	1.51
S. Atl.	73,417	249,289	3.40	182,717	184,885	4,413	1.89
S. Cent.	77,701	253,319	3.26	182,677	185,908	4,963	2.11
West	3,168	11,068	3.49	7,907	8,234	218	2.38
U. S.	176,244	593,589	3.37	431,179	432,792	10,711	2.01
Maine	5,766	22,242	3.86	16,475	16,282	379	1.83
Mass. 3/	496	1,879	3.79	1,336	---	33	1.96
Conn.	771	2,685	3.48	1,895	1,572	50	2.07
N. J. 3/	23	107	4.67	31	---	1	1.05
Pa.	6,162	23,665	3.84	17,141	18,614	385	1.81
Ohio	653	2,327	3.57	1,718	1,190	26	1.25
Ind.	1,340	4,379	3.27	3,194	2,241	46	1.17
Ill.-Mich. 4/	475	30	3.94	1,308	134	58	3.52
Wis.	1,171	4,092	3.49	3,015	2,726	56	1.53
Minn.	836	2,931	3.51	2,112	1,612	31	1.17
Iowa	84	359	4.27	262	178	4	.69
Mo.	3,863	12,216	3.16	8,558	7,947	217	1.98
Del.	7,387	27,625	3.74	19,955	20,780	495	1.89
Md.	10,471	38,890	3.71	28,128	26,253	666	1.91
Va.	4,848	14,638	3.02	10,357	8,416	223	1.69
N. C.	18,417	61,967	3.36	46,098	44,541	744	1.34
S. C.	2,101	6,854	3.26	5,016	5,032	154	2.36
Ga.	28,859	95,084	3.29	70,078	76,978	1,916	2.50
Ky.	2,015	6,848	3.40	4,910	4,742	85	2.09
Tenn.	5,332	17,967	3.37	13,189	12,979	244	1.38
Ala.	17,919	59,873	3.34	43,466	44,862	1,108	1.51
Miss.	14,158	45,718	3.23	33,564	33,514	909	2.07
Ark.	24,624	78,675	3.20	55,817	55,914	1,022	2.49
La.-Okla. 4/	3,620	3,722	3.27	8,639	8,792	1,791	2.54
Texas	10,023	32,353	3.23	23,092	25,105	246	2.32
Idaho 3/	443	1,457	3.29	1,043	---	580	2.00
Utah 3/	19	67	---	---	49	16	1.28
Wash.	978	3,501	3.57	2,492	2,261	43	2.67
Calif.	1,722	6,033	3.50	4,314	5,090	156	1.31
						192	2.99

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2/ Pounds condemned as percent of equivalent N. Y. dressed weight of quantity inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.

3/ Data for only 1 year published in order to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

4/ Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Young chickens: Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, August 1964

Region and State	:Tuber- : Leu- : Septi- : Airsac- : Inflam- : Tumors : Para- : Bruises : Cadaver : Contam- : Over- : Decom- : Other : Total		:culosis: cosis : cemia : culitis : matory :		:sites:		:ination: scald :		:position:		:Total			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.		
N. Atl.	---	89,743	40,111	28,072	22,487	1,096	3	2,353	10,838	13,147	346	7	5,349	213,552
E. N. Cent.	---	1,627	4,095	9,262	4,536	244	10	766	1,673	2,404	261	---	379	25,257
W. N. Cent.	---	3,931	9,964	20,920	11,114	355	---	865	5,488	3,156	235	---	1,160	57,188
S. Atl.	---	391,351	237,819	267,769	154,843	4,728	12	14,591	48,817	101,948	8,346	4,027	30,439	1,264,690
S. Cent.	---	156,338	277,229	564,073	142,584	6,674	8	21,158	56,881	94,904	7,814	1,090	38,012	1,366,765
West	---	22,100	22,785	11,273	8,213	362	3	769	2,495	3,788	970	2	8,505	81,265
U. S.	---	655,090	592,003	901,369	343,777	13,459	36	40,502	126,192	19,347	17,972	5,126	83,844	3,008,717
Maine	---	39,520	13,462	4,533	10,492	463	---	1,340	5,042	4,979	241	---	1,862	81,934
Conn.	---	2,579	2,078	164	516	44	---	63	306	1,495	---	---	406	7,651
Pa.	---	46,097	21,619	22,851	11,121	560	3	868	5,234	6,439	105	---	2,903	117,800
Ohio	---	495	1,073	1,158	782	79	10	60	389	551	20	---	228	4,845
Ind.	---	463	869	974	944	28	---	164	403	917	56	---	36	4,854
Ill.-Mich. 1/	---	155	136	13	156	1	---	8	103	69	6	---	---	647
Wis.	---	514	2,017	7,117	2,654	136	---	534	778	867	179	---	115	14,911
Minn.	---	93	181	106	394	189	---	50	101	303	8	---	785	2,210
Iowa	---	12	115	107	---	21	---	32	18	62	1	---	52	420
Mo.	---	3,826	9,668	20,707	10,719	145	---	783	5,367	2,790	226	---	323	54,554
Del.	---	78,463	16,818	24,124	11,992	542	4	777	2,939	5,390	362	---	5,069	146,480
Md.	---	108,435	28,080	35,236	22,746	1,025	8	1,325	5,846	7,964	394	20	6,019	217,098
Va.	---	14,880	8,135	31,823	11,350	34	---	360	2,530	2,514	292	1	709	72,628
N. C.	---	41,536	49,298	51,575	41,798	906	---	3,726	13,381	18,390	2,374	302	3,721	227,007
S. C.	---	12,273	7,074	10,438	4,030	77	---	578	2,717	4,192	120	4	48	41,551
Ga.	---	133,147	123,694	111,134	57,247	2,059	---	7,682	20,956	62,603	4,790	3,700	13,902	540,914
Ky.	---	1,837	4,452	7,934	3,515	60	---	1,010	1,338	907	240	22	545	21,860
Tenn.	---	17,337	13,052	7,729	9,959	306	---	953	3,582	7,064	277	99	8,396	68,754
Ala.	---	37,916	55,649	72,818	26,831	1,233	---	2,299	8,317	21,802	1,577	58	905	229,395
Miss.	---	48,442	50,481	124,787	17,461	1,370	---	5,266	6,984	25,806	2,473	722	10,408	294,200
Ark.	---	29,812	90,805	241,608	49,889	1,984	---	6,265	22,401	23,868	1,840	47	6,854	475,373
La.-Okla. 1/	---	4,481	17,910	32,935	5,965	398	---	1,721	3,365	3,436	480	1	85	70,777
Texas	---	16,513	44,880	76,262	28,964	1,333	8	3,644	10,894	12,021	927	141	10,819	206,406
Utah	---	624	15	1	5	4	---	5	5	1	---	---	---	660
Wash.	---	440	6,396	2,391	1,232	79	1	124	681	495	96	2	921	12,858
Calif.	---	19,409	15,391	8,014	6,673	274	2	512	1,732	3,133	863	---	7,144	63,147

1/ Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Mature chickens: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, August 1963 and 1964

Region and State	Number inspected	Pounds		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Pounds (NYD)		Post-mortem condemnations	
		1963	1964	1963	1964	1963	1964	1963	1964	1963	1964
		Thou.	Thou.	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Percent	Percent
N. Atl.		1,818	1,390	8,907	7,275	4.90	5.23	1,000	1,000	1.92	2.11
E. N. Cent.		1,996	1,756	8,569	7,221	4.29	4.11	154	138	2.56	3.21
W. N. Cent.		3,543	3,150	15,370	13,494	4.34	4.28	197	208	3.67	3.86
S. Atl.		1,564	1,633	8,215	9,395	5.25	5.75	505	467	2.36	2.94
S. Cent.		1,208	1,122	6,365	6,252	5.27	5.57	174	248	3.40	3.11
West.		1,068	1,008	4,590	4,220	4.30	4.19	125	150	3.03	3.96
U. S.		11,197	10,059	52,016	47,857	4.65	4.76	1,349	1,385	2.89	3.23
Maine		225	279	1,395	1,772	6.20	6.35	22	38	1.78	2.35
N. J.		837	568	3,401	2,382	4.06	4.19	72	57	2.34	2.65
Pa.		251	324	1,340	1,812	5.34	5.60	22	21	1.81	1.33
Ohio		555	658	2,358	2,778	4.25	4.22	59	76	2.77	3.07
Ind.		683	473	2,941	1,987	4.31	4.20	63	55	2.37	3.08
Ill.		463	457	2,028	1,736	4.38	3.80	45	55	2.47	3.54
Mich. 3/		63	---	263	---	4.15	---	4	---	1.63	---
Wis.		232	118	979	515	4.23	4.38	26	17	2.95	3.67
Minn.		1,607	1,405	6,692	5,685	4.16	4.05	251	227	4.20	4.45
Iowa		464	277	1,882	1,147	4.06	4.14	47	22	2.77	2.15
Mo.		771	747	3,903	3,737	5.06	5.00	100	93	2.87	2.79
Del.		21	22	160	159	7.52	7.28	4	4	2.39	2.69
Ma.		512	465	2,092	1,897	4.09	4.08	31	33	1.62	1.94
Va.		200	132	1,159	797	5.80	6.06	22	18	2.15	2.51
N. C.		470	477	2,567	3,013	5.46	6.32	52	73	2.25	2.74
S. C.		20	13	146	99	7.18	7.35	2	3	2.20	3.32
Ca.		330	511	2,021	3,361	6.13	6.58	62	115	3.40	3.80
Ky.		46	184	121	279	4.07	4.67	3	5	2.77	3.10
Tenn.		419	184	1,956	956	5.85	5.19	54	26	3.07	3.36
Ala.		144	101	841	750	5.85	7.39	26	23	2.60	3.07
Miss.		73	405	430	1,968	6.64	4.86	10	54	3.04	3.81
Ark.		132	79	880	543	5.70	6.02	31	18	3.75	2.72
La.-Okla. 4/		162	116	923	698	4.89	5.53	46	31	4.19	3.37
Texas		248	191	1,214	1,058	3.72	---	1	---	1.14	---
Utah 3/		33	---	125	---	4.49	---	10	15	3.51	4.17
Wash.		72	95	323	437	4.30	4.59	109	133	3.13	---
Calif.		905	860	3,891	3,566	4.30	4.15	109	133	3.13	---

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Mature chickens: Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, August 1964

Region and State	Tuber- culosis		Leu- cosis		Septi- cemia		Airsac- culitis		Inflam- matory		Tumors		Para- sites		Bruises		Cadaver		Contam- ination		Over-: Decom- scald : position:		Other : Total	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
N. Atl.	45	3,477	11,472	321	6,127	4,249	4	283	1,056	1,460	116	3	5,214	33,827										
E. N. Cent.	7,235	7,367	19,059	41	10,594	10,135	122	817	1,452	2,128	180	14	923	60,067										
W. N. Cent.	30,165	8,432	23,162	377	17,835	16,526	641	2,146	1,505	5,615	519	15	12,560	119,498										
S. Atl.	---	4,616	16,514	340	13,359	3,590	1	499	985	4,444	115	16	1,753	46,232										
S. Cent.	3	8,168	9,667	179	8,584	3,435	137	782	1,078	3,123	101	9	1,361	36,627										
West	---	810	14,962	369	7,652	9,576	205	756	587	2,166	53	21	5,273	42,430										
U. S.	37,448	32,870	94,836	1,627	64,151	47,511	1,110	5,283	6,663	18,936	1,084	78	27,084	338,681										
Maine	---	548	2,037	151	1,826	546	4	37	108	359	59	---	1,010	6,685										
N. J.	40	2,047	6,558	1	1,475	2,839	---	107	709	520	45	---	3,656	17,997										
Pa.	5	461	1,848	11	1,798	397	---	99	151	272	3	---	91	5,136										
Ohio	1,285	4,050	6,029	5	3,669	3,804	39	171	480	621	88	13	827	21,081										
Ind.	515	987	6,278	5	933	4,473	11	299	553	748	48	---	38	14,888										
Ill.	3,317	1,296	5,311	8	5,261	1,174	64	249	318	532	18	1	32	17,581										
Wis.	1,806	896	940	23	716	534	8	73	29	162	22	---	16	5,225										
Minn.	14,219	2,635	7,865	168	10,765	12,731	524	1,177	635	3,322	269	6	5,150	59,466										
Iowa	2,157	322	1,864	6	577	782	24	90	156	215	80	8	35	6,316										
Mo.	1,090	2,171	8,251	116	3,662	1,974	93	382	428	792	156	1	1,906	21,022										
Del.	---	140	134	1	176	36	---	1	8	14	---	---	8	518										
Md.	---	1,138	4,115	41	1,358	202	---	82	112	64	---	---	177	7,289										
Va.	---	325	1,147	3	1,738	228	---	37	122	149	20	---	14	3,783										
N. C.	---	1,826	4,325	85	5,093	754	---	133	376	1,228	77	1	1,128	15,026										
S. C.	---	81	160	7	155	14	---	6	10	61	---	---	---	494										
Ga.	---	1,079	6,499	203	4,618	2,309	1	233	352	2,904	18	15	321	18,552										
Ky.	---	54	373	7	176	229	---	4	19	92	---	---	9	963										
Tenn.	---	298	910	---	888	1,708	---	41	239	644	23	4	1,179	5,934										
Ala.	---	241	1,281	9	614	138	---	16	78	316	---	---	79	2,772										
Miss.	---	5,020	2,891	28	2,861	164	2	250	273	693	65	5	89	12,341										
Ark.	---	70	900	70	814	41	3	353	137	448	1	---	---	2,837										
La.-Okla. 1/	---	272	1,110	22	1,232	746	129	43	236	274	4	---	---	4,071										
Texas	---	2,213	2,202	43	1,999	409	3	75	96	656	8	---	5	7,709										
Wash.	---	126	1,318	81	663	447	---	29	210	149	6	9	946	3,984										
Calif.	---	489	13,204	288	6,853	9,112	205	694	331	2,001	45	12	4,326	37,560										

1/ Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Young turkeys (mature): Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, August 1963 and 1964

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected (live weight)		Average live weight inspected 1/		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Post-mortem condemnations				
	1963 : 1964		1963 : 1964		1963 : 1964		1963 : 1964		Pounds (NYD)		Percent 2/		
	Thou.	Thou.	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Percent	Percent	
N. Atl.	97	144	1,495	2,571	15.41	17.85	1,184	2,047	16	18	1.19	0.78	
E. N. Cent.	1,124	1,219	19,072	21,200	16.97	17.39	15,232	16,868	122	259	.71	1.36	
W. N. Cent.	3,680	3,952	62,025	67,693	16.85	17.13	50,202	54,568	641	770	1.15	1.26	
S. Atl.	549	809	8,946	13,009	16.30	16.08	6,929	10,135	111	272	1.38	2.33	
S. S. Cent.	941	1,445	16,064	23,827	17.07	16.49	12,714	18,821	202	365	1.40	1.71	
West	2,721	2,195	50,081	40,759	18.41	18.57	39,984	32,677	668	564	1.48	1.54	
U. S.	9,112	9,764	157,683	169,059	17.30	17.31	126,245	135,116	1,760	2,248	1.24	1.48	
Pa.	83	104	1,282	1,747	15.50	16.84	1,018	1,417	15	11	1.25	.70	
Ohio	179	218	3,442	3,923	19.18	17.98	2,643	3,132	11	17	.37	.48	
Ind.	365	422	6,014	7,141	16.45	16.92	4,915	5,710	43	124	.79	1.93	
Ill.-Mich. 3/	196	180	3,471	3,169	17.71	17.61	2,784	2,549	15	12	.48	.42	
Wis.	384	399	6,145	6,967	15.98	17.45	4,890	5,477	53	106	.96	1.68	
Minn.	1,898	1,909	32,545	33,571	17.14	17.59	26,409	27,090	361	360	1.23	1.19	
Iowa	886	897	15,177	15,840	17.13	17.66	12,326	12,694	123	191	.90	1.34	
Mo.	386	653	6,277	10,037	16.26	15.37	4,960	8,095	81	130	1.44	1.44	
N. Dak.-S. Dak. 3/	129	105	2,131	1,709	16.52	16.32	1,741	1,376	12	16	.63	1.04	
Nebr.	232	245	3,826	4,408	16.49	18.02	3,116	3,619	34	43	.99	1.09	
Kans. 4/	143	143	---	2,128	---	14.88	---	1,694	---	30	---	---	---
Va.	169	279	2,876	4,602	17.02	16.47	2,140	3,393	45	142	1.74	3.44	
N. C.	278	366	4,662	6,000	16.74	16.38	3,683	4,846	57	94	1.36	1.73	
Ga.	43	71	651	1,108	15.06	15.61	539	898	6	18	1.01	1.79	
Ky. 4/	161	---	2,875	---	17.81	---	2,307	---	14	---	.57	---	
Ark.	222	484	3,899	7,689	17.55	15.90	3,089	6,015	68	153	1.95	2.22	
Texas	370	518	6,339	8,654	17.11	16.70	5,021	6,857	85	144	1.50	1.86	
Colo.	238	211	4,647	4,220	19.55	20.03	3,852	3,446	40	45	.97	1.19	
Utah	497	394	9,323	7,603	18.75	19.31	7,517	6,169	85	54	1.01	.79	
Calif.	1,679	1,326	30,968	24,252	18.44	18.30	24,537	19,325	482	412	1.73	1.89	

1/ Average weight based on unrounded data. 2/ Pounds condemned as percent of equivalent N.Y. dressed weight of quantity inspected.
Percentages based on unrounded data.

3/ Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

4/ Data for only 1 year published in order to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Young turkeys (mature): Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, August 1964

Region and State	Tuber- cullosis	Leu- cosis	Septi- cemia	Airsac- cultis	Inflam- matory	Tumors	Para- sites	Bruises	Cadaver	Contam- ination	Over- scald	Decom- position	Other	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N. Atl.	---	1	296	118	474	---	---	31	37	47	---	4	2	1,010
E. N. Cent.	---	18	3,410	3,842	7,450	6	1	97	340	321	59	5	5	15,554
W. N. Cent.	---	480	14,826	16,243	7,284	37	2	435	1,715	1,667	388	118	839	44,034
S. Atl.	---	25	3,147	6,058	6,181	7	---	63	456	629	40	1	239	16,846
S. Cent.	---	135	9,037	7,289	3,532	42	---	191	677	964	90	---	33	21,990
West	---	60	13,604	7,121	8,749	20	---	547	471	1,062	163	5	42	31,844
U. S.	---	719	44,320	40,671	33,670	112	3	1,364	3,696	4,690	740	133	1,160	131,278
Pa.	---	1	93	44	423	---	---	27	35	16	---	4	1	644
Ohio	---	1	566	69	86	1	---	8	38	29	---	---	2	800
Ind.	---	---	1,226	1,668	4,990	2	1	16	50	32	14	---	---	7,999
Ill.-Mich. 1/	---	---	267	117	99	1	---	4	48	66	33	5	2	642
Wis.	---	17	1,351	1,988	2,275	2	---	69	204	194	12	---	1	6,113
Minn.	---	11	7,291	7,507	3,139	12	---	177	871	597	216	96	247	20,164
Iowa	---	434	3,799	4,606	2,150	10	2	73	254	349	34	22	72	11,805
Mo.	---	21	1,856	2,443	1,675	8	---	78	349	474	64	---	512	7,480
N. Dak.-S. Dak. 1/	---	---	377	454	53	1	---	14	45	37	12	---	---	993
Nebr.	---	8	1,094	662	149	5	---	82	74	115	22	---	1	2,212
Kans.	---	6	409	571	118	1	---	11	122	95	40	---	7	1,380
Va.	---	6	1,466	4,964	2,338	---	---	23	278	189	5	---	3	9,272
N. C.	---	16	1,040	610	3,412	7	---	23	137	319	26	---	1	5,591
Ga.	---	1	337	200	224	---	---	6	7	97	---	1	---	873
Ark.	---	22	3,928	3,616	1,299	12	---	109	100	434	32	---	9	9,561
Texas	---	102	3,151	3,147	1,828	16	---	56	357	310	4	---	2	8,973
Colo.	---	17	747	409	971	1	---	12	53	52	---	---	2	2,264
Utah	---	4	1,454	395	633	3	---	74	107	22	10	---	32	2,734
Calif.	---	37	9,689	5,769	6,329	11	---	399	224	876	49	5	2	23,390

1/ Combined to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Fryer-roaster turkeys: Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by regions and selected States, August 1963 and 1964

Region and State	Number inspected	Pounds		Average live weight		Total pounds certified		Post-mortem condemnations			
		1963	1964	1963	1964	1963	1964	1963	1964	1963	1964
		Thou.	Thou.	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Percent	Percent
N. Atl.	23	65	187	8.21	8.63	139	408	2	18	1.10	3.60
E. N. Cent.	245	223	2,212	9.03	8.91	1,987	1,566	19	22	.95	1.23
W. N. Cent.	385	293	3,267	8.49	8.54	2,501	1,744	41	35	1.40	1.56
S. Atl.	503	589	4,183	8.32	8.15	4,799	3,107	100	78	2.66	1.81
S. Cent.	64	18	487	7.61	7.71	136	370	14	2	3.20	.96
West	164	230	1,341	8.18	6.90	1,588	1,016	18	16	1.49	1.12
U. S.	1,384	1,418	11,677	8.44	8.16	11,570	8,946	194	171	1.85	1.64
Ohio	50	65	448	9.02	8.66	563	351	3	6	.60	1.04
Wis.	195	158	1,763	9.05	8.99	1,424	1,392	16	16	.98	1.22
Minn.	237	230	2,032	8.58	8.69	2,001	1,604	29	29	1.56	1.58
Iowa	85	36	719	8.43	8.06	289	568	5	4	.81	1.50
Va.	483	518	4,026	8.33	8.14	4,221	2,983	100	72	2.75	1.89
Calif.	163	156	1,331	8.16	7.95	1,242	1,009	18	15	1.48	1.34

Fryer-roaster turkeys: Number condemned post-mortem by cause, by regions and selected States, August 1964

Region and State	Leu- culosis		Septi- cemia		Airsac- culitis		Inflam- matory		Tumors sites		Bruises injection		Contam- ination		Over- position		Decom- position		Other		Total	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N. Atl.	---	1	119	1,813	62	567	1	---	8	54	7	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
E. N. Cent.	---	6	880	387	232	1,717	6	---	44	113	246	172	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
W. N. Cent.	---	2	1,879	672	232	1,717	6	---	84	324	189	324	23	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
S. Atl.	---	11	1,800	4,333	19	7	---	---	37	392	---	23	108	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
S. Cent.	---	---	45	174	972	1	---	---	51	129	15	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
West	---	---	507	174	972	1	---	---	51	129	15	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
U. S.	---	20	5,230	7,398	3,557	8	---	---	228	570	1,094	140	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Ohio	---	---	87	68	244	---	---	---	1	17	20	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Wis.	---	4	793	319	323	---	---	---	43	96	152	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Minn.	---	1	1,478	659	226	---	---	---	64	186	257	11	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Iowa	---	---	301	6	5	---	---	---	11	11	24	12	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Va.	---	8	1,519	4,024	1,621	3	---	---	30	173	288	105	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Calif.	---	---	496	150	951	1	---	---	47	13	127	5	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

1/ Average weight based on unrounded data.

2/ Pounds condemned as percent of equivalent N.Y. dressed weight of quantity inspected. Percentages based on unrounded data.

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Definitions

- Young chickens - Commercially grown broilers-fryers and other young immature birds such as roasters and capons.
- Mature chickens - Fowl from breeder and market egg flocks and stags and cocks.
- Fryer-roaster turkeys - Young immature birds, usually under 16 weeks of age.
- Young turkeys (mature) - Young birds grown to a matured market age, usually 5 to 7 months.
- Old turkeys (breeders) - Fully matured birds held for egg production, usually over 15 months of age.
- Ducks - Includes all ducks regardless of age and weight.
- Other poultry - Includes all other ready-to-cook products which bear the U. S. D. A. Inspected for Wholesomeness legend.

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